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Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
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All Participants:

Status of Application: _____

- (1) S. DEVI (USPTO). (3) _____.
 (2) Attorney Otis Littlefield. (4) _____.

Date of Interview: 31 March 2011

Time: _____

Type of Interview:

- Telephonic
 Video Conference
 Personal (Copy given to: Applicant Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: Yes No
 If Yes, provide a brief description: *Applicants' amendment filed 11/30/2010.*

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

Claims discussed:

Prior art documents discussed:

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

- It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
 It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed:

The allowable subject matter and the need to issue an Examiner's amendment was conveyed to attorney Littlefiled via a telephonic message. The need to amend the rejoivable method claim was indicated. A request was made that attorney Littlefiled call the examiner of record with regard to a potential authorization to issue an Examiner's amendment to make the suggested amendments.

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